

## MAGAZINE SECTION.

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clear of the falling car. Had the mis-  
hap occurred near the top of the in-  
cline, instead of near the bottom, the  
motorist would probably have been  
killed.

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**HIS CHOICE OF REPTILES.**

(Harper's Weekly.)

"Jones has given up Scotch, and drinks  
rye instead."  
"What for?"  
"He said he could stand snakes, but not  
plaid ones."

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**RACIAL PREJUDICE.**

(Philadelphia Ledgerd.)

The Jap men-of-war had appeared off  
San Francisco on a friendly visit.  
The regular ship was put back  
through Golden Gate in dismay.  
"No lika da Jap," said the fishermen in  
chorus. "He no da gooda Americano. Califor-  
nia fora da Califoria, ces eet nota da  
bea'?"